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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending December 22, 2001

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There was an increase in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending December 22 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 83,329 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was up 4,071 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 69,009 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 12,650 an increase of 3,235 over the preceding week's total. Seasonal layoffs were reported in several plants around the state during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 69,168. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$14,119,394
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$598,804,492
Trust fund balance	\$1,307,971,858

Unemployment Insurance Trends

